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## VIC MURDOCK NOMINATED

Break Came On First Ballot at  
Convention.

REPUBLICANS ARE UNITED.

And Everybody Is Ready to  
Work for the Wichita  
Man.

The Republicans of the Seventh district made quick work of the congressional convention held at Great Bend last Thursday. Nearly all of the delegates went to Great Bend a day or two in advance and shoveled powder into the nominating gun until it was loaded to the brim. There were only two questions to decide. One was who would touch a match to the fuse and the other was which way the gun would point when it went off. Before the charge was shot it was generally understood that the muzzle of the gun was very much inclined to point toward Victor Murdock. It was still holding a bead on the Wichita candidate when the roll call on the first ballot began. Barton county was called and the fact that her candidate was withdrawn and the vote thrown to Murdock showed that the Barton fellows were already monkeying with the fuse. Clark and Comanche counties voted for Judge Price, and Edwards county was called. It was here that Senator Smith took his match and went after the near end of the fuse. His name was withdrawn as a candidate and his own county vote thrown to Murdock. The roll call proceeded but every one knew that the fuse could not burn long, and that the report of the explosion would be heard.

The majority of the delegates then raced to get with Murdock in front of the gun so that they would not be misled, for it is a very pleasant sensation to feel the force of political powder. It was quickly over and when the smoke cleared away the vote was Murdock 146, Price 25, Forsha 17, Richards 13, Barnard 4 and Smith 1.

Judge Price held the vote he expected to receive on the first ballot. His workers were not prepared for such a short fuse. Harry Bone, on behalf of Judge Price moved to make the nomination unanimous, which was seconded by W. Y. Morgan on behalf of Mr. Forsha.

The Seventh district is a wonderful country politically. There was no struggle anywhere apparently in accepting the chosen candidate. It all happened so suddenly that it almost took the breath of the opposing candidates and their friends, but after one gasp they smiled their acknowledgment of defeat and were ready to join hands in pushing up the largest possible majority for the successful candidate. The candidate is worthy of the unanimous and enthusiastic support which he will receive and the Republicans of this district are a happy political family.

Reception to Rev. Barton.  
The members and friends of the M. E. church and Epworth League are invited to attend a reception at the G. A. R. hall on Monday evening, April 13, 1903, given in honor of Rev. W. B. Barton.

The state deputy grand president of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will be here the evening of the 15th, to institute the evening of the 17th. All signers are requested to be present on that evening. Bring your friends with you.

C. E. PARK.

## IN SHORT GRASS LAND.

Ellis Garton of the Cimarron Jacksonian recently found a pocket book which he lost in his pasture last fall. There was so much snow during the winter that the pocket book remained hidden until the spring thaw.

A Garden City couple that had the choice of a wedding tour in Europe are having a whole lot more fun riding in an ex cart in picturesque Arkansas.

One of the most important events of the near future in the short grass country will be the irrigation convention at Garden City April 16 and 17.

A Meade county farmer is trying to place a contract for breaking 5500 acres of sod this spring, having about that much more new land than his regular hands will be able to turn over.

Any of the outside politicians who desire plans and specifications for making a nominee on from second to twenty-second ballot can find a good assortment of them in the different short grass counties. They are carefully prepared and have never been used.

Coldwater is clamoring for an opera house. The town has so much theatrical talent that a play house appears to be one of the necessities.

## PRIZE FOR FLOWER BEDS.

Civic Improvement Club Will Make an Offer to Boys and Girls.

The following offer is made by the Civic Improvement Club:

The Civic Improvement club will offer a prize for the best kept flower bed during the coming summer. Any boy or girl, under fourteen years of age may try for the prize. The flower seed will be furnished by Mrs. G. M. Hoover. Call at her home and she will be glad to let you have them. A committee will inspect the flower beds at different times during the summer and at the close of the season the prize will be awarded. We want the boys and girls to take an interest in this work and strive to win the prize. It will be announced later what the prize will be.

## DIED IN DENVER.

J. P. Keady, Former Dodge City Grocer Died last Friday.

Word was received here last Saturday of the death of J. P. Keady. He passed away at Denver on Friday April 3. Mr. Keady was well known here and was a man who was highly regarded by his acquaintances. On account of falling health he left here a few months ago, going to California. He was accompanied by his brother, W. T. Keady, a well known Santa Fe engineer, and their parents. On March 12, J. P. Keady left California and went to Denver, Colorado where he died last week. Mr. Keady moved to make the nomination unanimous, which was seconded by W. Y. Morgan on behalf of Mr. Forsha.

## NEW CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

Victor Murdock's home Town Is Given the Chairman.

The following is the new central committee: C. Q. Chandler, Medicine Lodge; Ira H. Clark, Great Bend; M. G. Stevenson, Ashland; Mark R. Thornton, Coldwater; George W. Watson, Kinsey; G. L. Miller, Garden City; W. J. Fitzgerald, Dodge City; Frank Byers, Ulysses; S. L. Kelly, Cimarron; G. S. Hunt, Tribune; S. R. Peters, Newton; W. F. Reed, Syracuse; John A. Burke, Danville; B. L. Bethel, Santa Fe; L. A. Dockum, Jetmore; L. P. Kimball, Lakin; Frank Harlow, Kingman; James I. Parcel, Greensburg; F. H. Lobbell, Dighton; L. C. McMurry, McPherson; George B. Cones, Meade; G. P. Craddock, Richfield; J. S. Leightner, Ness City; Herbert Porter, Larned; George W. Stewart, Pratt; J. Q. Patten, Hutchinson; M. L. Grimes, Lyons; A. C. Whitman, LaCrosse; D. D. Beck, Scott; O. Z. Smith, Wichita; L. A. Ezzell, Liberal; Sherman Williams, Johnson City; John W. Nyce, Caldwell; J. W. Kelso, Hugoton; Henry Krenzel, Leoti. The committee elected Thomas C. Wilson of Wichita chairman.

## Danger of Colds and Grip.

The greatest danger from colds and grip is their resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for these diseases we have yet to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that it is a certain preventive of that dangerous disease. It will cure a cold or an attack of the grip in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all druggists.

FOR RENT—Two large rooms, furnished for light house keeping at the Central House.

## DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Charles Clyne of Stafford is the  
Nominee.

WAS OFFERED TO SAM HALE.

Democrats Flirted With Populists but Had to Nominate a Democrat.

There was a good crowd of delegates in Dodge City today to attend the seventh district congressional convention. Of course the putting up of a democratic candidate is so far as election is concerned, a mere form, but there is considerable honor in being a candidate against such a man as Victor Murdock the Republican nominee and several were in the race to secure this distinction.

The convention organized electing Dick Rich chairman, and Henry Brock, secretary. At the afternoon session the Kansas City platform was endorsed. There was a good chance for W. J. Babb receiving the nomination if he would consent to decline the nomination on the populist ticket. A telegram was sent him but no favorable answer came. Another attempt was made to get a populist on the Democratic ticket. The Democratic candidates offered to get out of the race in favor of Sam Hale. Hale was offered the nomination, but declined the honor. The Democrats then decided they had made peace offerings enough and proceeded to ballot on a real Democrat. An informal ballot resulted: Clark 31, Clyne 39, Belle 35, Brice 10, Roughton 5 and Babb 4.

On the first formal ballot the vote stood: Clyne 61, Belle 43, Clark 13, Babb 5. Before balloting, Harry Brice withdrew in favor of Clark and Mr. Roughton withdrew in favor of Belle. Clyne was nominated on second ballot.

The nominee of the convention, Charles Clyne is a young man who lives at Stafford. His nomination was scarcely considered among the possibilities yesterday. The majority of the old heads in the convention were expecting to throw the vote to Mr. Clark after a few ballots, but the thing got away from them.

The Easter services of the Dodge City commandery No. 35 will be held at 10 o'clock in the morning at the Christian church.

## THE NEW PASTOR.

Rev. Barton Was Very Successful With His Last Charge.

The Pratt Republican says of the new Methodist pastor assigned to Dodge City: "Rev. and Mrs. Barton returned from the Sterling conference Monday. Mr. Barton was changed from this district, to the Dodge City district, and will be stationed at Dodge City. He expects to move to that city the first of next week and the new minister appointed for this place will not arrive here for several days.

The people of Dodge City, and more especially the Methodists, are to be congratulated upon the acquisition of such a minister as Mr. Barton. He has been in Pratt for five years and could stay five years more if he so desired. So well and faithfully has he served his people it is with reluctance they consent to let him go."

## BOUND OVER FOR TRIAL.

Hugo Legner It Appears, has Been Helping Himself.

Hugo Legner waived preliminary examination before Justice Hobbie this week and was bound over for trial at the next term of district court.

Legner is a Santa Fe section man and his home is west of Soule college. The report which came second handed from a car sealer that Legner had been seen taking lumber from a Santa Fe car caused a search warrant to be issued. Sheriff Miller and Wm. Robinson then went to Legner's place to investigate. They found a later and gang plow which was identified as the property of the City Hardware store, a moving machine taken a year ago from W. J. Fitzgerald, a saddle "lost" by Wm. States, a hay rake, twenty-three sacks of flour, forty-five sacks of meal, and fifteen sacks of shelled corn unidentified, lumber, Santa Fe tools and other things, so that the search was followed by Legner's arrest. He is a married man and has several small children.

# LOW PRICES COUNT.

## Two Weeks of Wonderful Success in OUR SACRIFICE SALE

In our Ladies' and Children's Departments, Thousand of Dollars have moved out and the low prices have been appreciated by our Patrons. We mean to make the next two weeks of the sale one to be remembered.

We will have a surprise for you each day.  
CALL and SEE THEM,

**The Bargain Store**  
Fitzgerald & Locke, - - Dodge City, Kans.

## News From THE STATE SOLDIERS' HOME At Fort Dodge, Kas.

Samuel Gilpin, Co. F 2nd Iowa cavalry is able to get out again.

The 12th corps will soon go into summer quarters with pickets to the front and rear.

George Wolf, Co. F 7th Pa. cavalry has changed his place of residence to the east end of the bath house.

The intense excitement over Governor Dockery's gold mine has in a great measure subsided. It is up to Dockery to show his dust.

A. J. Johnson, Co. F 6th Minnesota Vol. Infy. has taken a thirty day furlough on a visit to his daughter at Wakeeey, Kansas.

Jacob Eley, Co. E 12th Kansas Infy. will leave in a few days for the Mont Vista Home in Colorado.

State Architect Stanton and County Surveyor Dellinger are busy in camp laying out the mains for our new system of water works.

John H. Tiffin 2nd squadron 18th U. S. Infy. has moved from the new double cottage at the west end of camp to the old double cottage west of the chapel.

James McDowell Co. A 5th Ills. cavalry has taken up the role of fictitious news spreader (via the newspapers.) He should speak softly and carry a big stick.

The earth about camp fairly trembles with the efforts of the old boys in making gardens. Our Senators and members of congress are responsible for all this racket.

Quartermaster Dickerson says he will sever his connection with this home about May 13th. May his shadow never become more attenuated. (Domitius Vobiscum.)

A. J. Green lately deceased was a member of the bloody 18th Ills. Infy. His term of service at the front was four years and seven months, exceeding that of any other member in the home.

C. J. Andrews Co. D 40th Ind. and 93rd Ills. Infy. is in a critical condition by reason of a bone abscess under one of his arms. He may pull through if blood poison does not set in.

Thomas Shaffer Co. A 98th Ills. Infy. is suffering great pain from the effects of a double nasal polypus. He will soon go to Stormont hospital and submit to an operation.

George C. Armstrong, the oldest veteran in this home celebrated his 85th birthday on the last day of March. Comrade Armstrong sang a song and recited an original poem. As it is known he is a poet of no mean ability.

William H. McBride, Co. G, 17th Iowa Infy., Jerome R. Pickett, Co. K, 6th Ohio Cavalry, George M. Miller, Co. D 13 Ohio Infy. and S. X. Paulk, Co. K 63rd Ohio Infy. have applied for membership in Victor Post 293, G. A. R.

Lawrence Wheeler, Co. C 3rd Colorado cavalry who was recently surprised by his many friends on his 73rd birthday is in a normal condition again and takes this means of thanking his friends for their many kind words for one who feels young if he is growing old.

Frank Harris, Co. C, 68th Ohio Vol. Infy. died of consumption on the fourth inst. The funeral took place at the chapel on Sunday at 2 p. m. Isaac Newman, Co. A 6th Ohio Infy. preached the funeral sermon and selected for his text the inquiry of the patriarch Job, "If a man die, shall he live again?" Victor Post 293 G. A. R. were in charge and with many reminders of the past and bright hopes of the hereafter, all marched to the home cemetery where the last sad ritual of the order was performed.

S. X. Paulk, Co. K 73 Ohio Infy., 2nd brigade, 3rd division, 11th Army Corps, was in the following engagements: Fredericksburg, Culpeper Court House, 2nd Bull Run, Chancellorsville, Gettysburg, after which the 11th and 12th corps were consolidated and called the 20th corps and transferred to the southwest where they fought in the battle above the clouds on to Atlanta. Comrade Paulk was detailed as one of the forgers for General Sherman's headquarters.

The 7th of April being the 41st anniversary of the battle of Shiloh, the day was celebrated by a camp fire in the chapel from 7 to 9 p. m. The story of that famous victory as recited by those who were on the firing line was very thrilling. J. H. Tuttle, commander of Victor Post, acted as master of ceremonies. Speeches were made by Commandant Thomas, Isaac Newman, Austin Tuttle, James M. Huxton and others

who acquitted themselves in a manner creditable to themselves and the theme on which they discoursed. The chapel was crowded to the doors and all enjoyed the occasion to the satisfaction of everybody else.

## WITHOUT OPPOSITION.

Dodge City Sets the Pace for Peaceful Elections.

There was only one ticket in the field at Tuesday's election in Dodge City. As always happens a few names were written in in some of the wards but the ticket nominated at the only convention held was elected by practically a unanimous vote.

The city officers are: G. M. Hoover, mayor; W. F. Pine, treasurer; W. W. Jackson, police judge; Charles States, school treasurer.

Councillors: First ward, Peter Mootz; Second ward, Louis Bader; Third ward, long term, E. E. Smith; short term, W. H. Jacoby; Fourth ward, Sam Stubbs.

Members board of education: First ward, R. S. Robinson; Second ward, W. T. Coolidge; Third ward, L. J. Pottjohn; Fourth ward, J. M. Grover; attached territory, J. H. Churchill and Silas Schmoker.

A grading gang arrived here the first of the week to work on the Santa Fe and the report was soon out that work had been started on the cut-off. There is nothing in the report and it is altogether probable that no work will be done on the cut-off before next fall or possibly the spring following. The cut-off can not be used to advantage until the short lines of the Santa Fe in New Mexico are completed, which will take a year. The graders who are at work here are one of several gangs which are adding to the side tracks, widening the grade, ballasting and making a general improvement of the Santa Fe track. There has been a similar gang at work further east for some time. The men that are here have been working in Colorado and came here to work westward. Additional side track has been needed badly here which probably explains why the gang jumped from Colorado to this place at the present time.

J. H. Churchill has accepted an invitation from the Commercial club of Hutchinson to address a sugar beet meeting there tomorrow.

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